IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 21, 2008, for which a response is due, with a one month extension of time (which Applicants hereby request) on October 21, 2008, please amend the application as follows: